

What's Happening?

FIA/FRIENDSHIP CLUB HARDIN COUNTY COMMUNITY SERVICES



JULY 2016

Dates to remember...

JULY 4th! Club Closed
MHDD: Sept. 14, 8:30
at Friendship Club.
FIA Board Meeting:
Sept. 21, 8:30am, at
Friendship Club.



July is one of the peak months for grilling fires. Enjoy grilling your favorite meals this summer while also keeping your family safe.

****Check gas grill hoses for cracks, holes and leaks.**

****Keep children away from grills. Gas leaks, blocked tubes, and propane tanks can be a cause of grill fires and explosions.**

****Never grill indoors, in the garage, in any enclosed area or on a surface that might catch fire.**

****Keep the grill at least two feet away from decks, siding, branches and any outdoor equipment that can catch fire quickly.**

County Case Management Ends

Due to the State's implementation of a managed care system for all Iowans with Medicaid insurance, the county Case Management program ended on June 30th. Hardin County Case Management program started July 1, 1998 with Case Managers Brenda Meyer and Mary Rosendahl, Director Linn Adams, and Support Staff Carol Haywood. Case Manager Rebecca Heitland joined the agency a few years later. The staff served local clients for the past 18 years, joining in with Story and Franklin County staff 2 years ago to form Central Iowa Case Management (CICM). Once it was decided last year that the management of Medicaid clients would be turned over to three Managed Care Organizations (MCOs), the counties had to consider the feasibility of the program. In January, in light of the loss of several staff to MCOs, the financial uncertainty created by the managed care, and other considerations, the counties voted to end the program. Most Hardin County case management clients were transferred directly to the MCOs or to DHS Case Management. Case Managers Brenda Meyer and Rebecca Heitland left the agency last December to work for MCOs. Case Manager Mary Rosendahl accepted a new CICS regional position as Service Coordination Specialist and Linn Adams assumed additional regional duties as CICS Coordination Officer. The decision was difficult but the transition has gone smoothly for the most part. Anyone with questions or needing assistance in regard to the implementation to the MCOs is welcome to contact Hardin County Community Services at (641)939-8167.

On a positive note, as part of the CICS region Hardin County has expanded Service Coordination. Jodi Hamilton joined the Hardin County Office in January as the County Service Coordinator/Social Worker. She will provide coordination to those receiving regional funding and assist Hardin County residents as needed to access benefits, make referrals, and assist with other needs. Jodi had previously worked as a Case Manager in Franklin County. Former Case Manager Mary Rosendahl was hired as a CICS Service Coordination Specialist and began her new duties June 20th. She will work out of the Hardin County Office. We welcome both of these individuals to their new positions as we expand our ability to meet the needs of citizens.



Ackley Food Pantry

641-847-2862

641-847-3839

641-847-2403

Alden Food Pantry

515-859-7827

515-290-5684

Hubbard Pantry

Phone

641-864-2625

Hardin Co.

Emergency Food Pantry

641-648-5036

877-290-5587

Radcliffe Food Shelf

515-859-2327

The Ruth Project

641-648-3594

641-648-6617

Union Community Food Outreach

641-486-2394

641-858-3077





After the BINGO games, our attention turned to Ring Toss! Some very interesting new tossing techniques were used.

In June we were treated to a delicious picnic lunch and BINGO games by the East Side Ladies Aid. The weather was perfect and the company wonderful. We give sincere thanks to these great ladies for thinking of us again!



Terry Tikovitsch came to the Friendship Club to talk to us about chair yoga. It was really interesting, as well as relaxing! We learned the three important things to do for our bodies: Breathe, Hydrate, and Stretch!



Once again we have a pool shark at the Friendship Club! Matt got the 8 ball on the break. Woohoo!!






Crafts this month had us planting beautiful flowers to take home! Thanks, Marion!



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MON-WED-FRI

10:30A-3:30P

SUN	MONDAY	TUE	WEDNESDAY	THU	FRIDAY	SAT
	Activities start at 1pm unless otherwise noted. ***** <div> Office Hours: 8:30-10:30 3:30-4:00 Club Hours: 10:30-3:30 </div>		OUTINGS: If an outing is scheduled, we will not have regular Club. Check the info on the calendar date for possible other detail or weather changes. Read carefully. Call with any questions.		10:30 Chart and Chat 1 11:15 <i>Let's MOVE!</i> Sack Lunch BINGO	2
3	CLUB CLOSED! 4  Kusserow	5	10:30 Chart and Chat 6 11:15 <i>Let's MOVE!</i> Friendship Lunch: Grill at the Club. Hot dogs, chips, and watermelon, or bring your own meat to grill if you don't want hotdogs. Helpers: Gina, Vicki Behavioral Health	7	10:30 Chart and Chat 8 11:15 <i>Let's MOVE!</i> Sack Lunch CRAFTS WITH MARION	9
10	10:30 Chart and Chat 11 11:00 CWU Service Project 11:15 <i>Let's MOVE!</i> Sack Lunch Introducing: Center Associates Integrated Health Services	12	OUTING!! 13 Franklin County Fair!! Peoplerides normal AM and PM pickup/drop off for those going. No club unless outing is cancelled. If heat index is above 93 degrees, Club will be open- sack lunches.	14	10:30 Chart and Chat 15 11:15 <i>Let's MOVE!</i> Sack Lunch BOWLING	16
17	10:30 Chart and Chat 18 11:00 CWU Service Project 11:15 <i>Let's MOVE!</i> Sack Lunch Participant Meeting	19	10:30 Chart and Chat 20 11:15 <i>Let's MOVE!</i> Friendship Lunch: Pizza Party- EVERYONE bring \$2 or your sack lunch. Readings with Virginia	21	10:30 Chart and Chat 22 11:15 <i>Let's MOVE!</i> Sack Lunch Guest Speaker Bad Weather 	23
24 31	10:30 Chart and Chat 25 11:00 CWU Service Project 11:15 <i>Let's MOVE!</i> Sack Lunch GROUP SHOPPING Calendar Planning	26	OUTING!! 27 Grilling at lunch/Foster Park Burgers, dogs, chips Peoplerides normal time, drop off @ Foster Park. Pick up at Club-3:30. Cancel if heat index 93, and meet at club. Helpers: Larissa, Kayla, Dean and Scott K. Show and Tell	28	10:30 Chart and Chat 29 11:15 <i>Let's MOVE!</i> Sack Lunch NEWSLETTER MAILING	30
						Jodie Jensen 29th 

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